

This Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-16 (canceled)

17 (currently amended): A multilayer polymeric film, comprising:

- (a) a first barrier layer, having first and second opposing surfaces;
- (b) second and third adhesive layers disposed on opposing surfaces of said first layer;
- (c) a fourth layer comprising ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer and disposed adjacent to said third layer; and
- (d) a fifth layer comprising ~~ethylene-alpha-olefin~~ a vinylidene chloride copolymer formed by a polymerization reaction in the presence of a single site catalyst, ~~said ethylene alpha-olefin copolymer having a molecular weight distribution of less than 2.5 and a I_{40}/I_2 ratio of about 7 to 12~~ and disposed adjacent to said fourth layer;

wherein said film is irradiated.

18 (previously presented): A multiple layer polymeric film as in claim 17, said first barrier layer comprising ethylene vinyl alcohol copolymer.

19 (canceled)

- 20 (previously presented): A multiple layer polymeric film as in claim 17, wherein said first barrier layer has a thickness of about 20 gauge, said second and third layers each has a thickness of about 25 gauge, said fourth layer has a thickness of about 45 gauge, and said fifth layer having a thickness of about 115 gauge.
- 21 (previously presented): A package made from the film of claim 17.
- 22 (new): The multiple layer polymeric film of claim 17, wherein said copolymer in said fifth layer, formed by a polymerization reaction in the presence of a single site catalyst, has a molecular weight distribution of less than 2.5 and a I_{10}/I_2 ratio from about 7 to about 12.